

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The allowability of Claims 4-6 and 10 acknowledged, and the Applicant thanks the Examiner for favorable consideration of these claims. Claim 10 was objected to, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. In order to facilitate prosecution of the application, Claim 10 has been amended to include all the limitations of Claim 8 from which Claim 10 directly depends. Therefore, Applicant respectfully submits that Claims 4-6 and 10 are presently in condition for allowance relative to the final rejection dated May 27, 2005.

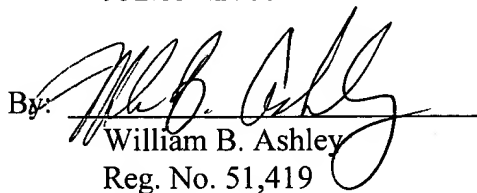
Applicant hereby cancels rejected Claims 1-3 and 7-9 without prejudice or disclaimer. Thus, without acquiescence of the rejection or reasons therefor, Claims 1-3 and 7-9 are canceled to facilitate prosecution of the application. The Applicant reserves the right to file continuing applications involving the original subject matter of the application, including that subject matter associated with original Claims 1-3 and 7-9.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned agent of record at 952.854.2700 to discuss any issues related to this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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